

May 6, 1942.

Mr. John R. Williams,  
% Pittsburgh Courier,  
1926 St. Antoine St.,  
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Sir:

I have learned that you are the party who is going to promote all the Negro baseball at Briggs Stadium this coming year.

I am writing you because I read in the Afro American that the Elite Giants and the Cuban Stars were scheduled to play in Detroit Sunday, June 7th. The only game scheduled for the Negro National League for Sunday, June 7th is between the Newark Eagles and the Cuban Stars. The Elite Giants are owned by the President of our League, Mr. Tom Wilson, I can understand him wanting to play in Detroit, but I think you must have made a mistake in naming the opponents for the Elites, as he could have had any one of the other four teams in the Negro National League agree to play him the exhibition game I am sure.

I would appreciate very much hearing from you, as I have had no word from the Cubans or the Elites to date about any cancellation of the scheduled League game between the Eagles and the Cubans.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

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